Review of Transportation Performance for I-5 Build Concepts

AGENDA

- Purpose
- Modeling/Concept Overview
- Review of Performance Measures
- Break
- Review of Traffic Simulation
- Next Steps



Modeling/Concept Overview

- Modeling work group
- Development of post-processed demand volumes- group review
- Design refinement based on screening level review of traffic demands



Initial Findings & Design Refinements

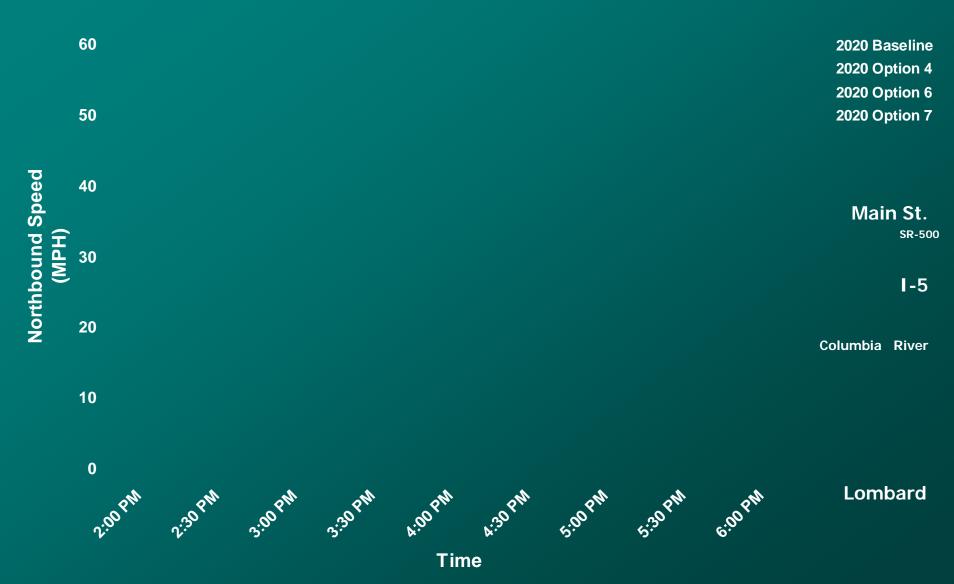
- Must split SR 500 traffic to mainline and CD
- Need to balance access and facility capacity
- O-D patterns indicated how to braid ramps in certain cases
- Look for opportunities to eliminate short distance trips from the freeway and CD system
- Reconsider which ramps merge and which add lanes to the freeway

Review of Performance Measures

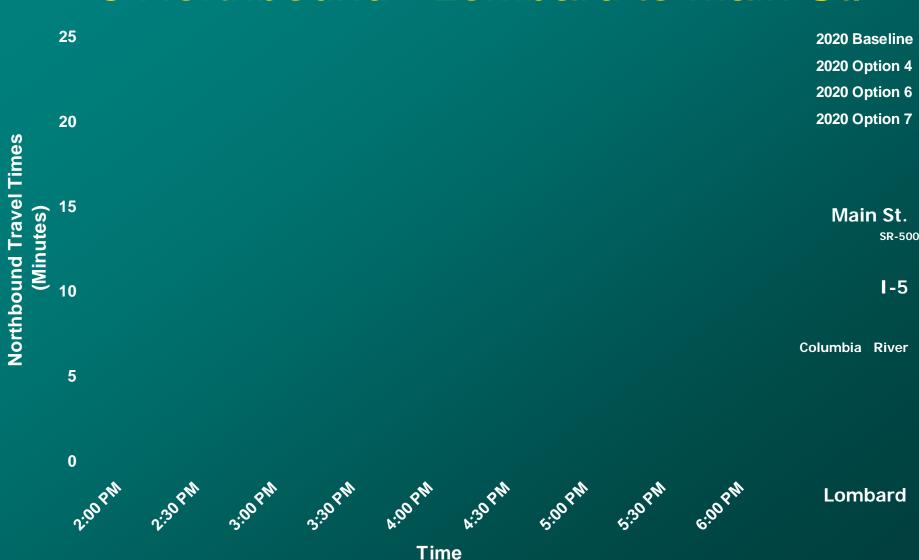
- Modeling work group selected MOES
 - Travel Times
 - Speed
 - Delay (mainline and ramps)
 - Queuing
 - Unserved Demand



Average Speed I-5 Northbound - Lombard to Main St.



Travel Time I-5 Northbound - Lombard to Main St.



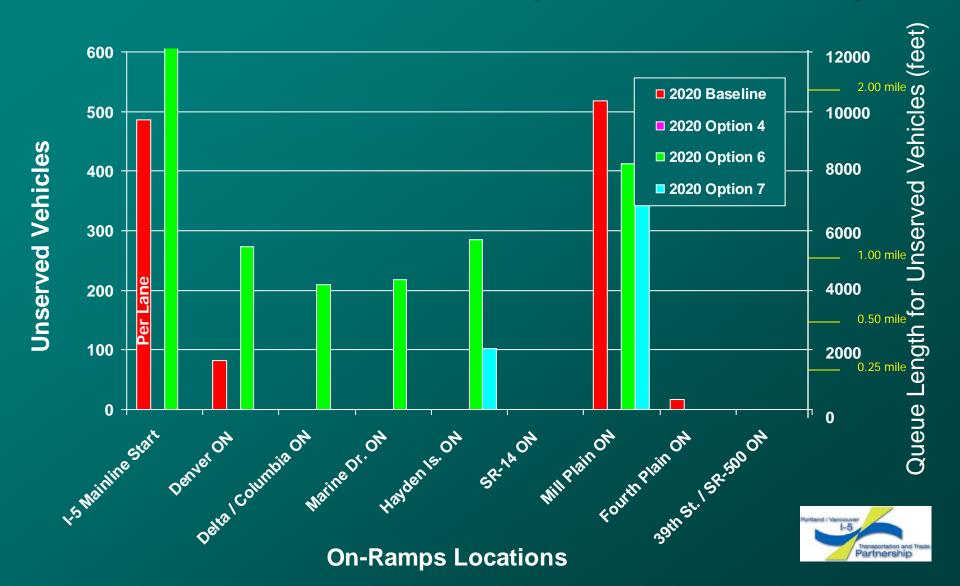
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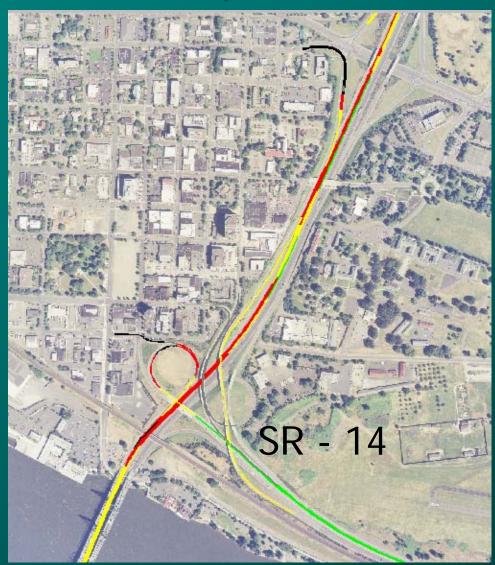
On-Ramps Impact I-5 Northbound (PM Peak Hour)



On-Ramps Impact I-5 Southbound (AM Peak Hour)



Baseline Average Speed Southbound (AM Peak Hour)



Average Speed

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5 - 35 mph
35 - 55 mph
> 55 mph



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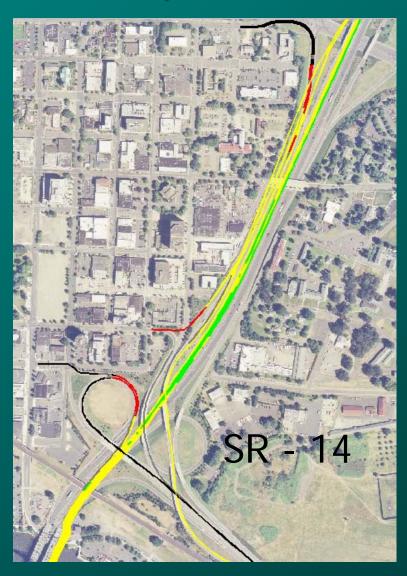


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Option 4 Average Speed Southbound (AM Peak Hour)



Average Speed < 5 mph 5 - 35 mph 35 - 55 mph

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Option 4 Average Speed Southbound 6:00-7:00 AM (Peak Hour)



Average Speed

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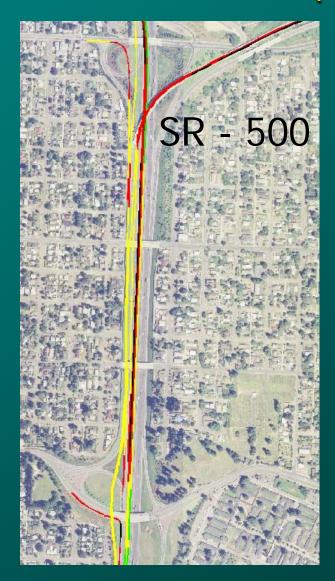
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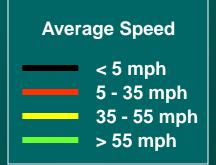
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Option 4 Average Speed Southbound 7:00-8:00 AM (Peak Hour)







Option 4 Average Speed Southbound 8:00-9:00 AM (Peak Hour)



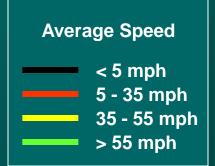
Average Speed

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Baseline Average Speed Northbound (PM Peak Hour)







Baseline Average Speed Northbound (PM Peak Hour)

Average Speed

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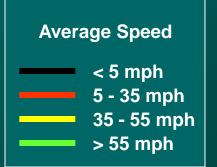
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Columbia

Option 4 Average Speed Northbound (PM Peak Hour)

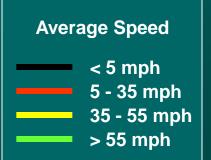






Option 4 Average Speed Northbound (PM Peak Hour)







Basic VISSIM Model Parameters

- HOV % provided by Metro (30% NB, 27% SB)
- HOV operation hours (7-8 am SB, 3-6 pm NB)
- Ramp meter rates provided by Metro
- Ramp meter hours (6-9 am SB, 3:30-6 pm NB)
- Origin-Destination patterns provided by Metro
 - Specific to SOV, HOV, & Truck
- Grades of +4% provided by design team



Basic VISSIM Model Parameters

- Truck % provided by Metro
 - 7% on mainline NB and SB
 - 2% for NB on-ramps during peak
 - SB Columbia Blvd. on-ramp at 15%
 - SB Marine Drive and Victory Blvd. on-ramps at 10%
- We did not model off-peak operations
- Model corridor focused to Bridge Influence Area (BIA)- Columbia Blvd. to SR 500

